

ROGER SULLIVAN LAUDS PRESIDENT WILSON POLICIES

Aspirant for U. S. Senate Assails President's Foes at Democratic Picnic.

THOUSANDS OF DEMOCRATS ATTEND THE BIG PICNIC

Candidate Ignores His Own Enemies and Centers Attack on the Calamity Howlers.

The Chicago Herald of recent date has the following article concerning Roger C. Sullivan who spoke at a big Democratic picnic near Chicago a few days ago:

Roger C. Sullivan, candidate for the Democratic nomination for United States senator, yesterday assailed the foes of President Wilson and ignored his own in his first public address in Cook county.

From 10,000 to 15,000 Democrats traveled thirty miles from Chicago to Deer Grove park to hear the candidate speak at the outdoor demonstration of the Cook County Democracy.

Demonstration for Speaker.

Both before and after the address there was a demonstration for the candidate which lasted for several minutes and was accompanied by all the features usually observed in national conventions.

Martin J. Wade, national committeeman from Iowa, one of the managers of President Wilson's campaign, was the only other speaker at the Sullivan demonstration. He too attacked the enemies of the President and predicted the speedy arrival of a prosperity which would excel any the nation has ever seen.

Mr. Wade gave high praise to Mr. Sullivan, declaring "Illinois must be proud to put forward at the first election held under the amendment to the Constitution which makes the direct election of senators mandatory a man who so many of its citizens love so well and have just reason to be proud of."

County Officials Present.

Practically all of the Democratic county officials, all of the candidates of the regular organization for county office and many of the candidates who did not receive its endorsement, a majority of the judges of the Superior, Circuit and Municipal courts, and delegations from Peoria, Springfield, Lake, Will, McHenry and Kane counties were in attendance at the picnic. Ten special trains poured the crowds into the picnic grounds, to be swelled by the arrival of hundreds of others who went in automobiles.

Nearly 100 automobiles joined in a parade which escorted Mr. Sullivan to the picnic grounds from his headquarters at the Hotel Sherman, and downtown traffic was stopped for a time until the procession got under way. Scores of other automobiles joined in the procession as it streamed along the dusty roads, and 500 autos were parked at the picnic.

Resemble County Fair.

These bore a resemblance to the grounds at a county fair. Nearly every candidate for important county office had his own tent on the grounds, where souvenirs were distributed to the crowds and where cards were signed. The candidates themselves were much in evidence. Nearly everyone on the grounds wore a badge, of which there were a score of varieties. Most of the county candidates got out emblems which declared the wearer was for "Sullivan for senator" and for the particular candidate who issued the badge.

None of the county candidates were allowed to address the crowd. The only persons who spoke were D. J. McMahon, president of the County Democracy, who introduced Thomas M. Sullivan, drainage trustee, as chairman of the picnic committee; Mr. Sullivan, who introduced County Clerk Robert M. Sweitzer, who introduced the candidate for senator, and former Judge Wade and the two orators of the day.

Judge Thomas F. Scully, candidate for Judge of the County Court, however, got some prominence for himself by winning the race for judges of the various courts from Judge Harry P. Dolan of the Municipal Court, with Judge John M. O'Connor third.

Mr. Sullivan in his address did not mention the names of any of his opponents and confined himself principally to national issues.

U. S. SUCCESSFUL IN SECURING MEXICAN UNITY

Carbajal, Carranza, Villa and Zapata Factions Soon to be Harmonized.

Washington, July 24.—Official

advises today revealed that the Washington administration was meeting with success in bringing Provisional President Carbajal, Gen. Carranza, General Villa and Zapata into harmony.

Zapata answered a communication sent to him indirectly promising to cooperate with the Constitutionalists in the work of pacification.

Gen. Carranza, through American consuls accompanying him, renewed assurances of his friendliness for the United States and indicated he would make satisfactory arrangements concerning the amnesty and guarantees desired by the Carbajal government.

While Gen. Carranza is ready to grant an amnesty and give guarantees to those who have opposed the Constitutionalists, persons criminally responsible for the assassination of Madero and Suarez will not be given immunity.

ONE KILLED BY DYNAMITE USED TO CHECK FLAMES

Several Injured in \$400,000 Fire Which Threatens Whole Business Section.

Jasnoville, Ind., July 24.—One man is reported killed and several injured in an explosion this afternoon when dynamite was used to check flames that threatened to sweep the entire business section. All telephones and telegraph wires were down. The fire apparently was under control late tonight. The damage is estimated at \$400,000.

FIVE MEN ARE MISSING IN CHICAGO FIRE

Were at Work on Sixth Floor of Morris & Co. Building.

Chicago, July 24.—Five men were reported missing tonight when fire destroyed a six story building in the stock yard used by Morris and Company as a refinery. The loss was estimated at \$100,000. Those missing were at work on the sixth floor of the building where the fire originated.

BANDITS ROB L. & N. TRAIN AND KILL ENGINEER

New York Limited Held Up Near New Orleans, Engineer Slain, Two Trainmen Missing

New Orleans, July 24.—The New York Limited, through passenger train of the Louisville and Nashville railroad was held up by two masked men tonight at a crossing four miles east of here. The engineer is reported to have been killed by the bandits and two other members of the train crew are said to be missing. A special train with officers and physicians has started for the scene.

This is a Live Town—Advertise here and get busy.

BODIES CAME TO SURFACE OF TWO NEGROES DROWNED

When the Barge of Rock at Barrett Fleet Sunk Wednesday—Their Names Not Known.

The bodies of the two negroes, who were drowned Wednesday, as the result of the sinking of a barge of rock owned by the Barrett Company were recovered yesterday morning. Both bodies came to the surface near the scene of the drowning.

Coroner McManus held an inquest yesterday but had no witnesses who could give the names of the negroes drowned. One was a Cairo negro who went by the nickname of "Red," he had been at work on the boat loading rock only an hour before the accident; the other negro was off the Mamie Barrett, the captain of which could give the name, it is said, but the boat left for the south the same afternoon the occurrence took place.

The bodies were buried at the county's expense.

BIG SALE OF CITY LOTS TO BE MADE IN NEW ADDITION

Boyd-Miller Property Upper End of City to Be Sold at Auction to Highest Bidder

The Boyd-Miller property in the upper end of the city, which was recently platted and which the city council about a week ago gave the owners the necessary permission to plat same and offer lots for sale, will be offered for sale soon. Parties from St. Louis, who are here for the purpose of conducting such a sale, will open an office in the Conrad Alba building at 706 Commercial avenue and as soon as everything is in readiness, a big sale of lots for cash or on the installment plan will ensue, until the entire plat has been disposed.

Arrangement will be made at once to cut the weeds and mark the site of each lot and show where the streets are to be located.

This property is north of Thirtieth street and east of Washington avenue.

BELLEVILLE MAN SENT TO ANNA ASYLUM, JEALOUSY AROUSED BY CLAIRVOYANT

Brooding because a clairvoyant told him his wife associated with other men was declared by physicians to have caused Paul Liedig, 38 years old, of Belleville, to lose his mind. He was adjudged insane in Judge Frank Perrin's court Thursday and ordered taken to the State Hospital for the insane at Anna. His wife and three children, ranging from 2 to 5 years old, are destitute because Liedig gave \$400 he had saved to some one for safe-keeping and forgot the name of the man he gave it to.

Judge Perrin asked newspapermen to publish an appeal for the return of the money to Mrs. Liedig, who told the court she and her children were in actual need. Liedig said he was sure the man would return it, although he couldn't recall his name.

Always Was Jealous
Mrs. Liedig testified her husband visited a clairvoyant in St. Louis three months ago and was told she was friendly with other men. The thought preyed upon his mind, she said, until he became unbalanced. He was of a jealous disposition always, she testified.

DRY WEATHER CAUSES SHUT DOWN OF WATER, LIGHT AND ICE PLANTS, HARRISBURG

It is said that the continued dry weather has diminished the water supply of Harrisburg to such an extent as to necessitate the closing of the waterworks plant, the electric light plant and the ice factory. Arrangements are under way for the shipping in of water to relieve the city. The utilities at Harrisburg are all privately owned.

CAIRO MAN AGAIN IS HONORED WITH THE PRESIDENCY

Richard E. Gannon Re-Elected Head Illinois-Wisconsin Retail Coal Dealers' Association

Richard E. Gannon, the well known coal dealer of this city has again been honored by the Illinois and Wisconsin Retail Coal Dealers' Association. He was re-elected President of the association at its convention, which has been in session at Milwaukee the past two days.

This association is one of the largest of them all and is composed of hundreds of the prominent coal dealers of the States of Illinois and Wisconsin, and has much influence in coal matters both with the operators and the miners, being frequently called upon to take a hand in helping to settle differences that arise.

The meeting of the association at Milwaukee was largely attended, it being held in Milwaukee this time, more of the Wisconsin dealers were in attendance than at any previous meeting.

The association was royally treated by the citizens of the Cream City and one of the most pleasant gatherings yet held was the result.

NEW INCINERATOR AT MOUNT VERNON SAID TO BE VERY SATISFACTORY

Mr. Vernon's incinerator was given a tryout Tuesday and the result of the trial was more than satisfactory. The incinerating plant presents an attractive appearance and there is no objectionable odor arising from it as one would think there might be.

Four large loads of garbage, including tin cans, bricks, dead animals and many other bits of stuff had been collected and dumped into the "melting pot" and it was but a short time until the lot was reduced to ashes. The amount of coal used was very small and taken altogether the trial was suitable to any one concerned.

Mr. Vernon is now in a position to be the model clean city of southern Illinois and the manner of disposing of the garbage that collects about the city is a very fine one and will be the means of lessening the danger of disease due to decaying vegetation as well as animals.—Mt. Vernon Register.

CAIRO NOT SUCH A WARM PLACE AS COMPARED TO OTHER CITIES OVER U. S.

Cairo was quite a summer resort Thursday compared to many other portions of the country. While the thermometer was 96 here it was 100 at St. Louis, Chicago, Keokuk and Davenport, Iowa, Terre Haute, Ind., Wichita, Kan., and 102 in Phoenix, Arizona, Oklahoma City, Kansas City, Louisville, Indianapolis, and Evansville were all 98.



WEATHER.
Illinois and Missouri—Partly cloudy Saturday and Sunday.
Kentucky—Probably fair Saturday and Sunday.

Local Data		1913	1914
Highest temperature	...	79	93
Lowest temperature	...	70	74
7 p. m. temperature	...	78	90
Character of day	...	Clear	
24 hour precipitation	...	None	

Sunrise and Sunset
Sun rise 4:56
Sun sets 7:10

Two Georgia Women Who Have Strangely Disappeared



Few cases have aroused such interest throughout the south as that of the Nelms sisters who disappeared in June from their home in Atlanta. The office of many cities have been asked to look for them, and they were believed to have been located a few days ago near Gulfport, Miss. However, they disappeared.

Mrs. Elcis Nelms Dennis, the mother of the bright boy shown in the illustration with her, left home in June. She got a divorce in Nevada. Soon afterward the sister, Miss Beatrice Nelms, a bright girl of twenty-five, who had established a good real estate business in Atlanta, left home.

Later a letter purporting to have been written by Mrs. Dennis to her mother in Atlanta, saying she had killed Beatrice and was looking for her brother to kill him too, whereupon she would commit suicide, was received. The mother, of course was distracted.

Then came the story that Mrs. Dennis was on her way to Texas to meet Victor Nelms, once assistant United States attorney for Nevada, but now in Portland, Ore., to marry him. He had acted for her in her divorce proceedings in Nevada. Their last appearance was near Gulfport.

WARNING SENT TO MERCHANTS AND DEALERS

To Beware of a Salesman Selling An Egg Candler and Says He Is a Food Inspector

The Illinois State Food Commissioner, W. Scott Matthews is sending out warning to all merchants to beware of a salesman of a concern manufacturing an egg candler device who is representing himself as a State food inspector.

The Commissioner wishes to say to all merchants and dealers that the inspectors of this department carry no "side line" and have nothing to sell whatever. Persons representing themselves as State food inspectors and offering goods for sale should be reported to the police and promptly arrested and the State food inspector notified at once.

37 INDICTMENTS RETURNED IN RIOT AT COAL MINES

Charge Miners With Murder, Arson and Riot in Outbreak at Prairie Creek.

Greenwood, Ark., July 24.—Thirty-seven indictments charging murder, arson and riot were returned tonight by the grand jury investigating the riot and destruction of five mines of the Bache-Dennan Coal Syndicate at Prairie Creek last week.

Four of the indicted men are already in jail. The grand jury will not attempt to place the blame for the outbreak.

COUNSEL FORMER CAILLAUX IS CAUGHT IN TRAP

Letter Which Mme. Gueydan Gave to Labori Will Overthrow His Defense.

DR. CALMETTE PAYS HIGH TRIBUTE TO DEAD BROTHER

Would Have Reassured Her if She Had Inquired About the Private Letter.

Paris, July 24.—The defense at the trial of Mme. Caillaux for the murder of Gaston Calmette, editor of the Figaro, was caught in a trap innocently set by Mme. Gueydan, the former wife of the prisoner's husband.

The principal argument of M. Labori, counsel for Mme. Caillaux, was that his client was driven to shoot M. Calmette through fear that two letters of which she was aware photographic reproductions had been made, would be published by M. Calmette and the secret of her inner life thereby made public.

This argument, it is said will be reduced to nothing by the reading of the letter which Mme. Gueydan reluctantly gave to Labori yesterday. Today she declined to receive them back.

A dramatic bit of testimony was given during the day by Dr. Albert Calmette. He paid a high tribute to the character of his brother.

"I am convinced," said Dr. Calmette, "that if Mme. Caillaux simply had opened her mouth, if she only had said to my brother, 'Is it true that you have in your possession the private letter' my brother immediately would have reassured her."

Mme. Gueydan Calm Witness.

Mme. Gueydan, a slender woman of medium height, was dressed simply in black and wore a small hat with blue feathers. She looked to be 35 or 36 years old. Her face was drawn in tragic lines, her black eyes showing from great sockets in her wasted cheeks. She seemed ill, but she walked with calm dignity past her former husband, standing in front of the Judges and the jury.

The witness asked if she might refer to her notes, but the request was refused by the Judge.

"There have been so many lies told," said Mme. Gueydan, "that my notes are absolutely necessary. I only to fix dates. Was not M. Caillaux allowed to read from papers? I am confronted with a mountain of lies which I must climb and break to pieces one by one. I am alone. I have no husband to defend me."

In saying this, she gazed at Mme. Caillaux, who, however, did not look at her.

"You are not here to accuse," interposed Maitre Labori. "You will find nothing but courtesy and deference for yourself personally if your role is simply that of a witness. But if you come here to accuse, then you will find me in front of you as a defender of my client."

Bravos for the Witness.

Mme. Gueydan: "If you have spoken of me to M. Caillaux he will have told you that at least I have courage."

This was spoken in a challenging tone and called forth "Bravos" from the spectators, whose sympathy she seemed to have from the moment she entered the court room.

Judge Abanel rapped on his desk.

Then Mme. Gueydan continued: "I have been pained to see that the person who drew the indictment has gathered together the filth. All the pity has gone to the intruder who peddled my home to take my place."

Maitre Labori: "Mme. Gueydan promised to testify without hate."

Mme. Gueydan: "It is said that the crime was committed because I communicated copies of letters."

The witness then referred to her notes, to which Maitre Labori objected amid murmurs of protest against him from the audience.

Judge Abanel supported Maitre Labori's objection. The Judge then himself addressed the witness, saying questioningly in order to give her a start: "Disagreements arose in your home?"

Mme. Gueydan: There were no disagreements.

"Domestic Life Was Tender."

The witness was speaking rapidly

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